



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Group art unit: 2815  
Examiner: Eugene Lee

In Re PATENT APPLICATION of:

Applicant(s): Yoshinori SHIZUNO

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**AMENDMENT**

For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE WITH  
IMPROVED DESIGN FREEDOM OF  
EXTERNAL TERMINAL

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Atty. ref.: OHG 143

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December 8, 2006

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed on September 19, 2006, and  
in order to correct an error noted within allowed claim 1, please amend the above-  
identified application as follows: